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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO GEN. J. MUSKITA,
DIRECTOR GENERAL FOR TRADE, FROM STANLEY S. LEE,
PRESIDENT, UNITED OVERSEAS INVESTMENT CO., WASHINGTON, D.C.
(LEE KNOWS GEN. MUSKITA HAS BEEN REASSIGNED, BUT WAS ADVISED
NEVERTHELESS TO CORRESPOND WITH HIM).

2. WE UNDERSTAND DEPARTMENT OF TRADE TEMPORARILY WITHDREW
AN IRREVOCABLE PURCHASE ORDER FOR UREA FROM AN INDONESIAN
COMPANY (P.T. HARTTINDO) WITHOUT REALIZING THAT THIS
COMPANY WAS AND STILL IS COMMITTED BY CONTRACT TO PURCHASE
UREA FROM AN AMERICAN COMPANY, WHICH IN TURN IS COMMITTED
TO OBTAIN ITS SUPPLY FROM AMERICAN MANUFACTURERS.
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3. DELIVERY ON THIS 75,000-TON CONTRACT HAS ALREADY
BEGUN. FIRST SHIPLOAND OF 5,000 TONS LEFT U.S. IN MARCH

AND IS DUE IN INDONESIA SHORTLY.

4. WE WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR EXAMINATION OF THIS MATTER AND ANY ACTIONS NEEDED TO PREVENT WHAT WILL OTHERWISE BECOME A COMPLEX LEGAL PROBLEM FOR BOTH INDONESIAN AND AMERICAN

COMPANIES.

5. PURCHASE ORDER WAS ISSUED BY DEPARTMENT OF TRADE NOVEMBER 27, 1974 AND BEARS NO. 03168DJP/1/1174.

6. INTERESTED PARTY. KISSINGER

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